

vote in opposition to the others, his stance would be as an active antagonist.

Each Has One Vote.

The referee also declared that creditors should have each one vote, and should not be allowed a number of votes corresponding to the number of their claims. Each creditor had one vote without reference to the number of claims held by him or her.

To some of the rulings concerning secured and unsecured creditors technical objections were made by attorneys present.

The question was then submitted by Mr. Bradley whether there should be one trustee or three trustees chosen. After some discussion Attorney R. G. Donaldson moved that the creditors proceed with the election of one trustee, and later decide whether there should be one or three. This was not put to a vote.

Vote for One Trustee.

Mr. Bradley then ended the discussion by asking creditors who favored the selection of three trustees instead of one to signify their position on the matter by rising. Only two attorneys voted for three trustees.

The referee then ruled that only one trustee would be chosen.

The taking of the ballots followed, in which votes were deposited by claimants as their names were read by the referee.

HEAP OF REFUSE LEADS TO SPILLING OF BLOOD

Much Solemn Correspondence Over a Small Matter Affecting Health of Meridian Hill.

A pile of tin cans on a vacant lot has been the subject of much solemn correspondence and investigation, in which the Health Department, the Police Department, and the Police Commissioner have taken part.

The Health Department called the attention of W. H. Walker, of 1002 F Street northwest, to an accumulation of refuse matter on lot 7, block 17, Meridian Hill. Mr. Walker's reply was to the effect that there is nothing in the refuse detrimental to health and that if proper vigilance had been exercised by the police the accumulation would not have been deposited there.

Officers of the Tenth precinct took umbrage at this reflection, and a report was made to Commissioner West showing that the patrolman on whose best the lot in question lies, patrols eighty city squares, and that the lot had been permitted to grow up with weeds which hid the pile of rubbish from view, in form, in the opinion of the police, a greater menace to health than the rubbish itself.

The refuse consists of garbage, old tin, tin cans, old cloth, matting, rags, bottles, paper, shoes, bones, etc.

DANISH WRESTLER DEFEATED PIENING

Won First and Third Falls in Graeco-Roman Championship Match.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—H. H. Egeberg, the Danish wrestler, who came to this country a few weeks ago, defeated John Piening, the Graeco-Roman champion, last night in a bout held at Sulzer's Harlem River Park. Egeberg won the first and third falls from Piening. The Dane showed all the remarkable qualities that were claimed for him.

Piening wrestled gamely, but the vast strength of the Dane gradually wore the champion to the mat. The bout lasted until nearly midnight.

Several thousand spectators saw the match and cheered the wrestler to their utmost effort. The three bouts were a final and were for the Graeco-Roman championship, which by Piening's defeat passed into the hands of Egeberg, who has never wrestled in this country before.

MRS. CHADWICK MAY SETTLE NEW CLAIMS

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that the application would be immediately withdrawn.

Mr. Krakauer said:

"It is a fact that Mrs. Cassie Chadwick has a balance of about \$600 due on her account. The action of my Cleveland attorney, however, in bringing the receivership proceedings was entirely unwarranted."

"If it were not Saturday and the courts were open, I would have it withdrawn forthwith. The application will be withdrawn on Monday."

"Mrs. Chadwick has brought thousands of dollars' worth of goods from me in the past and has always paid promptly and has been one of my best customers. I have not the slightest doubt that she will pay me what she owes me in due time."

"In this instance the lawyer, like a doctor, has taken the case into his own hands without consulting the patient. He knew this account in the regular course of business and had absolutely no instructions to bring these proceedings."

"A lamentable injustice has been done this woman."

MILLINER GETS OUT ATTACHMENT

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Justice Conlin, in the city court this morning, issued an attachment against the property of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick in favor of

Louis & Co., 215 Avenue milliners. The attachment was issued on the ground that Mrs. Chadwick is a non-resident of this city. The amount is \$1,000.

The writ was placed in the hands of the sheriff, who started out in search of property belonging to Mrs. Chadwick upon which to levy.

SETS HIMSELF ARIGHT.

Cy Lyle says that we write an article on "The Beauties of Temperance," and then get drunk for a week. This is a meanly slander. We was full when we wrote the article, or we never would have written it.—Hardeman (Tenn.) Free Press.

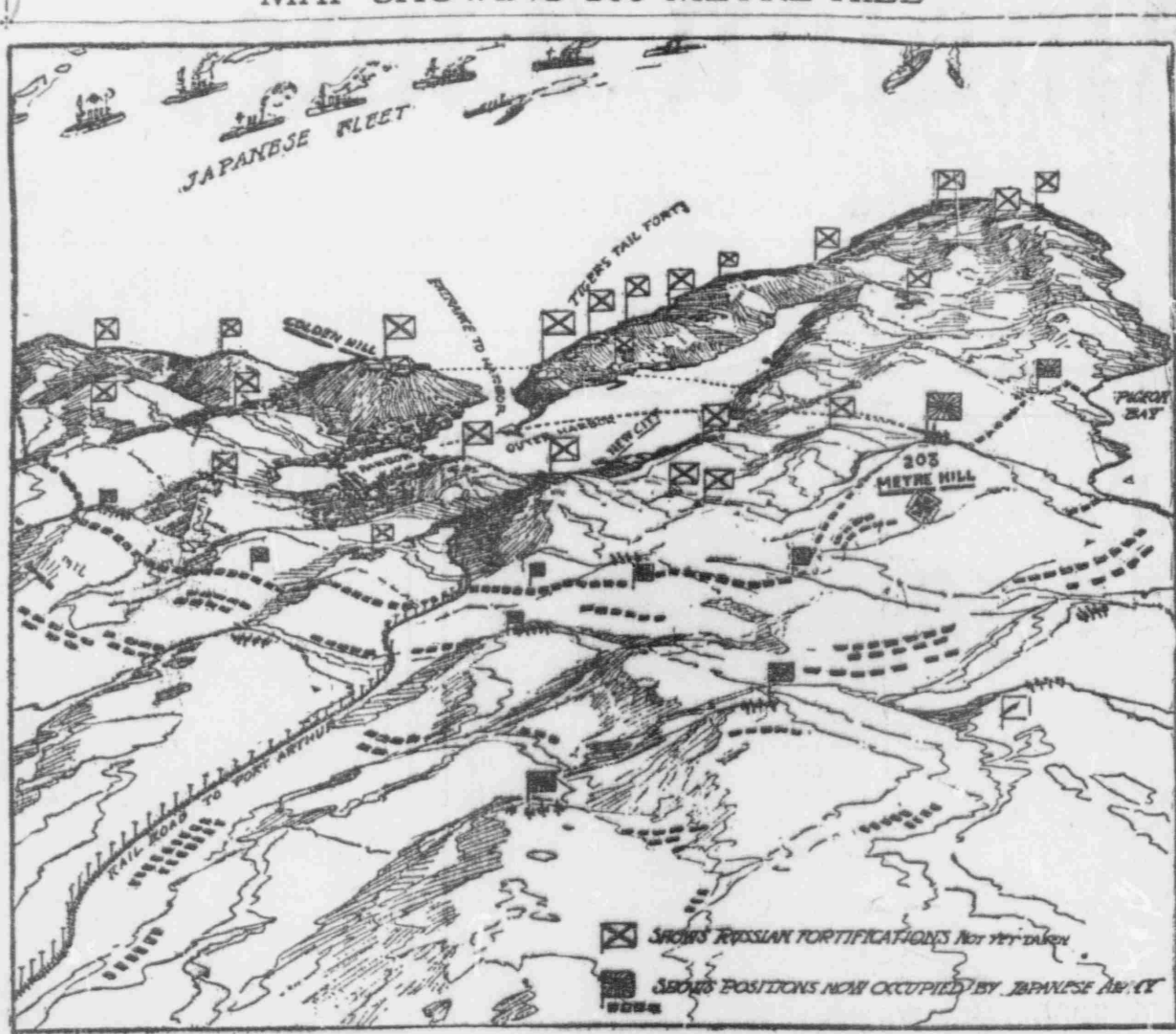
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MAP SHOWING 203 METRE HILL



DOMINATES CITY AND HARBOR OF PORT ARTHUR.

This Fortress Was Taken by the Japanese After a Terrific Struggle Lasting Five Days—It Is Regarded as the Strategic Key to the "Gibraltar of the East."

A Six Hours' Armistice To Bury Metre Hill Dead

Hostilities Suspended at Port Arthur—Japs Placing Big Guns on Summit—Outpost Fighting Near Mukden.

TOKYO, Dec. 3.—The announcement was made here today that an armistice for six hours was declared yesterday at Port Arthur in order to give the contending forces an opportunity to bury their dead.

Advices received from the vicinity of Port Arthur show that the activity of the Japanese has not been relaxed with the capture of 203 Metre Hill.

Already they have begun placing big guns in position on the hill. Positions for twenty of them have been constructed.

Value of Metre Hill. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 3.—The importance of the capture of 203 Metre Hill is admitted here in official quarters only on the supposition that the Japanese will be able to place heavy guns on the summit.

This will prove a task of the greatest difficulty under the heavy Russian fire. MUKDEN, Dec. 3.—Outpost fighting continues on both flanks.

Marquis Ito's Mission.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—It is reported in official circles that the Marquis Ito, Japanese ambassador to Korea, accompanied by Mr. Kurino, former Japanese minister to St. Petersburg, will come to Europe, by way of America, early in 1902.

The purposes of their mission have not been disclosed. It is known that they partly relate to the future administration of Korea, and the transfer of the Japanese of the Korean legations to the Japanese ministers.

BOARD GUARANTEES GOOD INSPECTION

At a hearing this afternoon the District Commissioners explained to a committee from the International Union of Steam Engineers that if a law is enacted, as proposed, providing for an annual salary of \$2,000 for the inspector of boilers, instead of compensation by fees, that the inspector would be required by the Commissioners to answer emergency calls at night, early morning, Sundays, or holidays, just as heretofore.

The committee expressed the fear that the inspector, if his salary were assured him, would not be so keen to get out of bed at 4 o'clock on a frosty morning to inspect a cold boiler as he would if he were to secure \$5 for the job, as he has received in the past.

The Commissioners assured them that if it was found an assistant was needed he would be supplied, that the amount received by Mr. Vermillion in fees last year, \$2,500, was out of all proportion to other District salaries, that District officials observed no "union" hours, but have the happy privilege of working twenty-four hours in a day if necessary, and that many District officers are receiving the same salaries today they received fifteen years ago, though their duties have increased.

CHURCH DEDICATION PUT OFF TILL JANUARY

The ceremonies arranged for the dedication of Luther Place Memorial Church tomorrow have been postponed until early in January.

The committee in charge was compelled to make this announcement today, because of inability to have the new organ in place.

President Roosevelt had accepted an invitation to make an address, and it is understood that he will fulfill his engagement when the formal dedication is held.

DEATH RECORD.

Banks, Paul, 49, 624 Navy place. Butler, Florence M., 23, 129 Cedar st. Fernald, Martha A., 31, 28 1/2 st. Green, Frank, 2, en route to Garfield Hosp. Lee, Jacob, 55, Garfield Hospital. Little, Charles W., 2, 219 12th st. Long, Alice, 2, 107 8th st. Pearson, Allen, 72, 145 K st. Roberts, George, 2, Wash. Ass. Hosp. Roberts, Homer F., 6 days, 123 8th st. Welch, Katherine, 6, 647 18th st. Welch, Edward H., 83, Georgetown Univ. Hospital. Williams, Susan R., 1, 1240 Maryland ave. ne.

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Times Want Ad Branch.

Want advertisements and subscriptions for the Evening and Sunday Times will be received at regular office rates at E. W. Grove's Pharmacy, cor. 9th and Maryland ave. ne.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE FOR MIDDIES' TEAM

Navy Plays George Washington and Georgetown—Harvard Will Practice One Week at Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 3.—Midshipman Charles Conway Hartigan, of Norwich, N. Y., manager of the Navy baseball team for 1902, today announced the schedule of games for next season.

A feature of the season in Annapolis next spring will be the presence of the Harvard baseball squad, which will use the midshipmen's diamond for a week's practice, and will play two games while here.

The complete schedule is as follows, all contests to be played at Annapolis, with the exception of that with West Point, which will take place at West Point.

March 25, Columbia University of Washington; April 1, Pennsylvania State College; April 2, University of Virginia; April 15, University of North Carolina; April 17, Bucknell; April 18, Harvard; April 22, Syracuse; April 28, Trinity College; April 29, Maryland Agricultural College; May 2, Dickinson; May 10, Maryland Athletic Club; May 11, St. John's College; May 12, Georgetown.

On May 20 the midshipmen will play the Army nine at West Point. The Harvard "scrub" will cross bats with Navy's second team here on April 20.

PENSION COMMISSIONERSHIP NOT FOR SNOWFLAKE STATE

One thing seems to have been fixed about the vacancy in the Commissioner-ship of Pensions—that it will not be filled by a Kansan, in succession to Commissioner Ware.

Representative Curtis, of Kansas, called at the White House this morning and received information from the President that enabled him to make this positive announcement.

There has been some announcement that the office would go to a man from the State of Kansas, and former Representative Richard Blue has been an avowed candidate for the position. Whether Representative Curtis was at the White House in the morning and did say that no Kansan was to have the plum.

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LONDON, Dec. 3.—An effort is to be made to bring to realization the long-discussed project of an adequate Shakespeare memorial in London.

Subscriptions are to be invited in all parts of the world, and the promoters count on getting a large amount from the United States.

Ambassador Choate is a member of the committee to deal with the preliminaries.

MILITIA MAKES GOOD PROGRESS

Report of Military Secretary on the Subject.

MUCH INTEREST DEVELOPS

Dick Law Serves As Means of Inspiring Better Spirit in the State Organization.

Gen. F. C. Ainsworth, in his annual report, made public today, says the militia has made most satisfactory progress during the first year of its operation under the new legislation.

"The organization and the personnel of the militia forces," he says, "have greatly improved and the individual members of the National Guard have manifested an increased interest in its advancement."

General Ainsworth estimates that about 75 per cent of the total strength of the organized militia could be depended upon to respond to a call to repel invasion or suppress rebellion. He says, however, that there has been no opportunity during the fiscal year to determine accurately the percentage, because the need has not arisen.

The new militia law, says General Ainsworth, "has aroused the interest of the young men of the country in military affairs and has increased their inclination for military service."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

1344 Wallace Place northwest—J. Colvin Cronise ex ux. to Margaret McManis, lot 12, square 237, \$10.

Pennsylvania—between Twenty-first and Twenty-second Streets—Franklin T. Sanner ex ux. to Ben B. Sanner, part original lot 17, square 45, \$30.

M Street southeast, between Half and Seventh Streets—Charles B. Pearson ex ux. to Mary Pearson, part original lot 119 and 120, square 70, \$10,000.

Seventh Street southeast, between H and I Streets—Thomas D. Schnopp ex ux. to John A. Schnopp, part original lot 16, square 469, \$10.

Fourth and Half Street southwest, between F and G Streets—John A. Schnopp ex ux. to Anna M. E. Gerlach, part original lot 12, square 538, \$20.

Maryland Avenue northeast, between Ninth and Tenth Streets—George F. Newton ex ux. to Edward B. Bagoy, lot 27, square 83, \$10.

Bloomington—Annie M. Liesman ex vir, Charles, to Ella M. Brooke, lot 65, square 1, \$100.

Ninth Street southeast, between L and M Streets—Margaret L. Sands ex vir, Lawrence, to Margaret C. Sands, original lot 32, square 32, \$10.

L Street southeast, between Sixth and Seventh Streets—Same to same, original lot 4 and part lots 2, 3, and 6, square 881, \$10.

22 K Street northeast—Michael O'Connor ex ux. to Thomas and Ellen Conway, lot 22, square 22, \$10.

Seventh Street northeast, between F and G Streets—John A. Wynkoop ex ux. to Frank J. Stillman, lot 9, square 891, \$10.

Bloomington—Francis A. Blundon ex ux. to William J. Aman, lot 16, block 10, square 10, \$10.

1443 Pennsylvania Avenue southeast—Thomas H. Packford ex ux. to Annie Lippard, lot 32, square 105, \$10.

First Street northwest—Elizabeth E. Saunders, lot 20, square 615, \$10.

New Hampshire Avenue northwest, between L and M Streets—Louis D. Wike ex ux. to William R. Stark, part of original lot 11, square 72, \$10.

N Street southeast, between Half and South Capitol Streets—Andrew J. Sanford ex ux. to Charles E. Sanford, part original lot 2, square 76, \$10.

Sixth Street southwest, between M and N Streets—John Miller ex ux. to Jacob Vilcheer, lot 28, square 473, \$10.

Maynard Forster, lots 30 and 31, square 43, \$10.

L Street northwest, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth Streets—Thomas R. Jones ex ux. to National Safe Deposit Savings and Trust Company, parts lots 13 and 14, square 128, \$3,000.

CZAR SUMMONS WITTE FOR A CONFERENCE

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 3.—M. Witte, president of the ministerial council, had a long conference with Emperor Nicholas yesterday afternoon.

This is the first time the Emperor has summoned M. Witte for several months, and the conference is believed to have important bearing upon the Zemo-Avto movement.

Southern Railway Bluemont Schedules.

Slight changes Bluemont branch schedules, effective Sunday, December 4. See schedule column.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, 8th and D sts. n.w.; Rev. Samuel H. Greene, D. D., pastor.—3:30 a.m. Sunday school; W. S. Shallenberger, superintendent. Twenty-fifth anniversary sermon by the pastor, 11 a.m. Rev. A. S. Hobart, D. D., will preach at 7:30 p.m. Teachers' Bible Club, Thursday, 7 p.m. Church prayer meeting, 8 p.m. Endeavor meeting, Tuesday, 8 p.m., and Sunday, 6:45 p.m. All are cordially invited. Admission free.

VEDANTA.

THE INTERNATIONAL VEDANTA announces a series of lectures to be delivered under its auspices by ALBERT S. DULIN, on "The Religious Philosophy of Vedanta." The first of the series will be delivered at Kauffman's Hall, Connecticut Avenue and L Street northwest, on Sunday evening, December 4, at 7:30. Subject, "The Ideal of a Universal Religion." This series of lectures will be unusually interesting to all thinkers and students in every walk of life. You are especially invited to be present. Admission free.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner 15th and R sts. n.w. Services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subject, "God, the Preserver of Man." Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, 8 p.m. Public cordial invitation. All are free. Reading rooms in the Traders' National Bank Building, corner Pennsylvania Ave. and 10th st. n.w.

EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH—Scottish Rite Hall, 1007 G st. n.w. Services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The subject of the morning lecture by Bishop OLIVER C. SABIN, will be "How to Heal Sickness and Overcome Poverty." All should attend these lectures. At the Sunday evening service, testimonies will be given telling of incidents of sickness being healed. Bible readings, free; all cordially invited. The doors of the church will be opened for members' ship at each service. This church heals all of its members free, thus combining God's love with humanity.

COLORADO EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH—in Gray's Hall, in Old Fellows' Building, on M st. n.w., between 10th and 11th sts., at 3 p.m., Elder ROLAND E. HAZARD will deliver a lecture on the subject of "New Truth and New Power." All invited.

AUCTION SALES.

BROWN & TOLSON, Auctioneers, 1415 H st. n.w.—TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED REAL ESTATE, SAVING FARM, NO. 300, OLIVARY ST. S. B. S. B. N. W., SPLENDID CORNER BRICK DWELLING; BUILT FOR A HOME. By virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated the 28th day of April, 1900, and duly recorded in Liber No. 2490, at folio 44, et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, we will sell at public auction, in front of the Trustee's Office, at 1415 H st. n.w., on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1901, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., the following described land and premises, situate in the county of Washington, District of Columbia, known and distinguished as part of lot seventeen (17), in block numbered forty-two (42), in subdivision of the subdivision of the middle part of the Columbia University grounds, known as "University Park," per plat recorded in the office of the surveyor for the District of Columbia, in Liber county 6, at folio 4, beginning for the same with the southeast corner of said lot, thence westerly along the south line of said lot one hundred and forty-four and 70-100 (144.70) feet, thence northerly twenty-five and 615-100 (25.015) feet; thence easterly to a point on the west side of University Place, distant twenty-five (25) feet north of the southeast corner of said lot; thence southerly along the west line of University Place twenty-five (25) feet to the beginning, together with all the improvements.

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